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tion than any newspaper between St. Paul and books are open to inspection, and it is always

MAJOR ARMSTRONG, formerly agent on the Crow reservation in this territory, has been appointed inspector of Indian agencies. The major's wide experience in the service should render him a useful officer, both for the government and for the Indians.

Is it possible that President Harrison is reserving the Chinese mission for Wharton Barker, of Philadelphia, the promoter of the Chinese railway and telegraph scheme? Mr. Barker has "claims" upon the administration which cannot be ignored.

COPIES of the INDEPENDENT of April 4, containing the Montana election law. can be obtained at this office. This law will govern the election of Oct. 1, when list the distinction of being the father of a family composed entirely of triplets. taken upon the ratification or rejection of a state constitution.

It is reported that Col. Ingersoll's fee in the Kerr boodle trial at New York was \$25,000. A retainer of \$15,000 was supplemented by a fee of \$15,000 contingent on

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"the chicago interpolation of the called accidental exactness." Roche organ, spoke pityingly of "the few thousand democrats who are left in Chicago;" but the subsequent day New South Wales parliament. Both he and his brother, Alfred Tennyson Dickens, showed that there were enough demc- have greatly prospered in Australia. crats in the city to carry the election by about 12,000 majority.

THE democrats of Butte deserve to win, as they doubtless will, in the municipal election in that city on Saturday, because of the character of the men they have nominated for the several offices. They are all gentlemen of the highest personal and business standing, and deserve the vote of every citizen who is in favor of good local government.

THE INDEPENDENT is leading all com-THE INDEPENDENT is leading all competitors in the collection and publication of news, both local, territorial and The Rock Springs coal mines operated by the Union Pacific, make a pay roll of 920 white miners, 300 Chinese and 120 office and other men. To maintain such a force general. The examples of this are of every day occurrence. The fact is fully realized by the people of Montana, with whom the Independent is a necessity of life. The exposure of the European bond swindle in yesterday's issue is one case in point, and there are others too numerous to mention. No one can afford to be without the INDEPENDENT at his place of business or his home.

CAPT. J. B. CATLIN, a hotel-keeper at Stevensville, Missoula county, has been selected for the office of collector of inchair car service between St Paul, Minneapolis and Kansas City, leaving St. Paul
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No pains or expense have been spared to Mr. Harrison's former business associate, to be secretary of the territory. Collector Shields' resignation was sent in on

THE Rhode Island state election on Thursday shows a large gain for the Democrats over the vote one year ago. Then the republican nominee for governor received 20,768 votes and the democratic candidate 17,444; this year the votes are 16,952, and 21,350, the majority of 1888 being more than reversed. The prohibition and law-enforcement nominees, however, receive this year 4,946 votes, which throws the election of governor into the legislature, which is democratic on joint ballot by 24 majority. The constitution of Rhode Island provides that it shall require a majority to elect.

BOUTELLE'S NONSENSE. Congressman Boutelle, of Maine, a particular friend and admirer of Secretary Blaine, was guilty of a bit of rank fustian, the other day, when he telegraphed to President Harrison, anent the was not improved much by his southern senate's rejection of the nomination of trip and will be brought home in a week Murat Halstead to be minister to Germany, saying: "In rejecting Mr. Halstead's nomination for the reasons stated (his criticisms of the senate in the Payne) or two to his country seat. Changes are being made to afford him more seciusion. Since starting on the southern trip Garrett has been in constant dread of imaginary impending evil. case), the senate has struck one of the most desperate blows ever aimed at the TOPEKA, Kan., April 4.—Gen. H. M the liberty of the press." Mr. Boutelle McConnell, a prominent attorney of Osage, probably never stopped to think that it | Kan., suicided this morning. McConnell is not one of the "liberties of the press" was a general in the army of the Potomac. He left no reason for the act. to hold office, and that when a journalist seeks a position under the government he does so as an individual, and not as a representative of "the fourth estate." Mr. Halstead would be the last to plead im- ands are searching for it daily, and mournmunity from the consequences of any of | ing because they find it not. Thousands his acts as a journalist, and is doubtless upon thousands of dollars are spent annuwilling to abide by anything he has said.

To succeed in his profession, the journa's ist must first learn to pursue the course he believes to be right, regardless of personal considerations either as affecting himself or others in public life. The editor's life is often, in fact, a game of give and take and roots and sold at 50c and \$1 per bottle by R. E. Haie & Co., druggist. willing to abide by anything he has said. game of give and take, and no favors & Co., druggist. asked. It is only when this principle is recognized and adhered to closely that a journalist can hope to exert any influence. Mr. Halstead has never exhibited traits that should warrant the suspicion that a foreign mission would be acceptable to him linked with the condition that he relinquish one iota of his independence. It was that trait that led him

Mr. Halstead will be the last to declare, as Congressman Boutelle has declared, that his rejection is "a blow at the liberty of the press.'

EDWIN BOOTH.

Should the illness of Edwin Booth lead to his retirement from the stage the event would be little short of a public calamity. No man of the present generation has done so much as he for the elevation of the drama. Both by inheritance and by virtue of unflagging industry he is a recognized interpreter of the higher order of dramatic composition. Mr. Booth's entire life has been devoted to study and work, and no intelligent person could listen to his reading of the LIVE STOCK.

Cutcaso. April 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; strong and active; beeves, \$4.50@4.65; steers, \$3.30@4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@3.50; Texas cattle, \$2.50@3.60.

Hoge—Receipts, 15,000; slow and 5c lower; mixed, \$4.50@4.95; light, \$4.70@4.96.

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Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; strong; natives, \$3.90@4.50; western corn-fed, \$4.50@5.30; Texass, \$3.00@4.50. standard plays in which he has appeared gift of a splendidly-furnished building to the Players' club of New York was an act of generosity that will be remembered for many years after he has passed away. It is to be hoped that he will recover from the illness which came upon him on Thursday evening at Rochester, N. Y., and continue to adorn the profession he has followed since childhood. It may very fairly be questioned if Mr. Booth has a living equal on the stage. His only rival is Henry Irving, whose numerous afectations detract from a wonderfully magnetic style. No American actor of the present generation at all approaches Mr. Booth either in natural gifts or acquirements. Mr. Booth is 56 years of age.

PERSONS AND THINGS.

Some of the oldest trees in Riverside, Cal., have this year yielded as high as twenty-three boxes of oranges to the tree. Just prior to his death, James Stephens, ounder of East Portland, Or., deeded to that school district a piece of property valued at \$12,600.

Lewis Minthert, of Shawano, Wisconsin

Edward Bulwer Lytton Dickens, a son

A London newspaper asserts that the ten greatest living Scotsmen are Lord Rosebery, the Duke of Argyll, Professor Biackie, Principal Caird, Sir Noel Paton, the Earl of Aberdeen, A. J. Balfour, Sir Morell Mackenzie, W. E. Gladstone and Sir Archibald Alison. Mr. Gladstone, however, is only Scotch by descent, having been born in Liverpool.

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Amelie - Rives-Chanler's mouth is pat-terned after that of Beatrice—full, red and sensuous, the hips slightly protruding and the corners elevated in a kind of perpetual smile. As a matter of fact the fair author rarely smiles. When she does her face takes on an expression that renders her very attractive. Unlike the rest of her face, which in repose is very classic, her mouth resembles that of a Tyrolese gypsy.

CHANGE OF TIME.

Through Chair Cars to Kansas City. The Minneapolis & St. Louis railway, 'Albert Lea Route," ever ready to meet the demands of the traveling public, upon March 17th, 1889, inaugurated a through chair car service between St Paul, Minne-

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THE MARKETS.

STOCKS. New York, April 4.—Bar silver, 92%. Copper-Duli; lake, April, \$14,50. Lead-Firm; slight advance; domestic, \$3 67%.

The stock market to-day, after some hesitation in the forenoon, became more active and decided y strong and advances were scored all over the Pioneer National Bank list, everything sharing in the improvement. The result of the day's trading is to leave almost verything materially higher than last evening vernment bonds dull and steady. Petroleum opened steady at 91%, closing weak

at 30%.

Government bonds. 4s, 125%; 44s, 109;
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LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO PRODUCE. Curcaso, April 4, 1:15 p. m. Close-Wheat-ower; cash, 92%; May, 92%; July, 85 9-16. Corn-Steady; cash, 35; May, 35 11:16; July Oate-Steady; cash, 24%; May, 25%; July 25%. Pork-Firmer; May, \$12.59; July, \$12.42%. Lard-Steady; Cash, \$6.22%; May, \$7.00.

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TERRITORY OF MONTANA, AUDITOR'S OFFICE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE. HELENA, April 2, 1889.

It is hereby certified that the Metropolitan Plate Glass Insurance Company, located at New York in the State of New York, has compiled with the insurance laws of this Territory, and is authorized to transact its appropriate business of Insurance in this Territory, through its duly appointed agents, holding a certificate of authority issued by this office, until the Sist day of March, A. D. 1890. Witness my hand and official seal the day and year first above written. year first above written.

[Seal.] JAMES SULLIVAN,

Territorial Auditor. Henry W. Foote, Resident agent.

Stockholder's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Helena Real Estate company will be held at the office of Porter, Math & Cox, Helena, M. T., at 2 o'clock p. m., on Friday, April 5, 1889, for the purpose of electing five trustees to serve for the ensuing year.

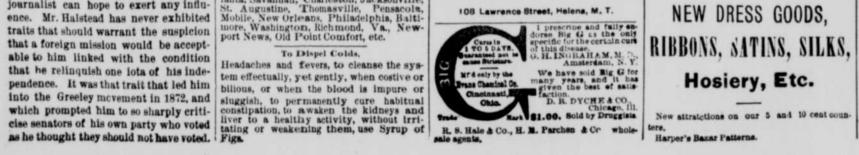
A. J. DAVIDSON, Prest. Wм. Митн, Sec'y. Helens, M. T., March 25, 1859. Special Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clarke County, Mon-tana Territory, will meet in extra session at 10 o'clock a. m on Monday, April 2, 1889. J. S. TOOKER, County Clerk, Helena, Mont., April 2, 1889.

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